TENNESSEE FISH AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION COMMITTEE MEETING MAY 17, 2018 REGION II - RAY BELL BUILDING NASHVILLE

<u>Time</u>	<u>Discussion</u>	<u>Subject</u>
1 p.m.*	Chairman Jeff Cook, M.D.	 Call to Order Welcome Roll Call Announcements

PRESENTATION - After 34-years with TWRA, Region III's John Mayer is retiring.

Wildlife Management Committee:
Kurt Holbert, Chairman
Jamie Woodson, Vice Chairman
Bill Cox
Angie Box
Dennis Gardner
James Stroud

Chuck Yoest, Assistant Chief Wildlife & Forestry Division

Jamie Feddersen, WL Biologist Migratory Game Bird Program Leader

Roger Applegate, WL Biologist Small Game Program Leader

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Jim Hamlington, Region I Regional Wildlife Program Manager

Richard Kirk, Region II Regional Wildlife Program Manager

Kirk Miles, Region III Regional Wildlife Program Manager

John Mike, Region IV Regional Wildlife Program Manager

- TWRA Recommendations for 2018-19 Hunt & Trapping Seasons
- Proclamation 18-02 Migratory Gamebird Hunting Seasons and Regulations
- Proclamation 18-03 Statewide Furbearer Hunting and Trapping Seasons and Bag Limits
- 4. Proclamation 18-04 Statewide Small Game Hunting Seasons and Bag Limits.
- Proclamation 18-06 Wildlife Management Areas, Public Hunting Areas, and Refuges, Hunting Seasons and Miscellaneous Regulations

Dan Gibbs Bear Program Leader

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James Kelly Deer Program Leader

Brad Miller Elk Program Leader

Joy Sweaney, WL Biologist WMA Coordinator

6. Proclamation 18-07 – Statewide Big Game Hunting Seasons and Bag Limits

 Proclamation 18-08 – Hunting Seasons and Bag Limits on Select National Wildlife Refuges and Other Federal Areas

Boating and Law Enforcement Committee:

Angie Box, Chairman Brian McLerran, Vice Chairman Chad Baker Dennis Gardner Kurt Holbert Connie King

Lt. Col. Cape Taylor, Assistant Chief Boating and Law Enforcement Division Proclamation 18-05 – Manner and Means of Hunting, Taking, and Trapping

Budget Committee:

Tony Sanders, Chairman Kurt Holbert, Vice Chairman Angie Box Dennis Gardner Brian McLerran Bill Swan Jamie Woodson

Col. Darren Rider, Chief Boating and Law Enforcement

Pandy English, Assistant Chief Biodiversity

Tim Churchill, Chief Real Estate Division

Frank Fiss, Chief Fisheries

- Budget Expansion FY18 \$400,000
 Tier 1 BIG Project – City of Knoxville Vol
 Navy Docks – All Federal Funds
- Budget Expansion FY18 \$21,000
 Clinch River Pool Mussel Survey 7775
 All Federal Funds For Mussel Work
- Budget Expansion FY18 \$460,000
 Close out 15 Old Gas and Oil Wells in
 Scott and Morgan Counties on TWRA
 Properties All Wetland Funds
- Budget Expansion FY18 \$75,000
 Paris Landing Pier Project TDEC's
 Share of the Pier Project

Frank Fiss, Chief Fisheries

Greg Wathen Director's Office

- Budget Expansion FY18 \$240,000
 Asian Carp Harvest Incentive Program Funds from the Marine Fuel Tax Fund
- Budget Expansion FY18 \$150,000
 Facilitate Continued Work on Landscape Conservation Gulf Coastal Plains and Ozarks Region All Federal Funds

Adjourn

^{*}Times subject to change